

Date Searched: 3/18/2006

Database Searched: USPAT, USPGPUB

Plurals: ON

Terms Searched:

L1 flat\$6 near10 hierarch\$6

L2 (rc or rcl or (resistance or resistivity or capacitance or capacity))

L3 1 and 2

Results: 824 hits

L4 716/1-18.ccls.

L5 4 and 3

Results: 269 hits

L6 (delete\$3 or remove\$3 or eliminate\$4 or discard\$3) same 2 same model\$3

L7 5 and 6

Results: 6 hits

L8 2 same ("same" near10 level)

L9 5 and 8

Results: 4 hits

L10 flat\$6 same (block or group\$3 or cluster\$8 or parent)

L11 (read\$3 or retrieve\$3 or load\$3) same 3

L12 1 and 4 and 10 and 11

Results: 61 hits

L13 (delete\$3 or remove\$3 or eliminate\$4 or discard\$3) same 2

L14 12 and 13

Results: 6 hits

Databases Searched: EPO, JPO, IBM TDB, Derwent

Plurals: ON

Terms Searched:

L1 flat\$6 near10 hierarch\$6

L2 (rc or rcl or (resistance or resistivity or capacitance or capacity))

L3 (read\$3 or retrieve\$3 or load\$3) same 2

L4 flat\$6 same (block or group\$3 or cluster\$8 or parent)

L5 1 and 3 and 4

Results: 1 hit

Database Searched: IEE/IEEE Xplore

Terms Searched: (flat\* <near/10> hierarch\*) and (rc or rcl or (resistance or resistivity or capacitance or capacity)) and (read\* or retrieve\* or load\*) and (block or group\* or cluster\* or parent)

Results: Your search matched 0 documents

Terms Searched: (flat\* <near/10> hierarch\* <near/5> (netlist\* or net-list\* or (net <near/1> list\*)))

Results: Your search matched 10 of 1328352 documents.